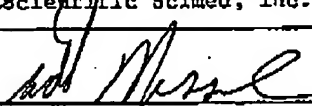


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<b>REISSUE APPLICATION; CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE; STATEMENT OF NON-ASSIGNMENT</b>		<b>Docket Number (Optional)</b> 563.2-10389-US01
This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.		
Name of Patentee(s) Dinh et al.		
Patent Number 6,019,789	Date Patent Issued 02-01-2000	
Title of Invention Expandable Unit Cell and Intraluminal Stent		
<p>1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Filled herein is a statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b). (Form PTO/SB/96)</p> <p>2. <input type="checkbox"/> Ownership of the patent is in the inventor(s), and no assignment of the patent is in effect.</p> <p>One of boxes 1 or 2 above must be checked. If multiple assignees, complete this form for each assignee. If box 2 is checked, skip the next entry and go directly to "Name of Assignee".</p> <p>The written consent of all assignees and inventors owning an undivided interest in the original patent is included in this application for reissue.</p>		
The assignee(s) owning an undivided interest in said original patent is/are <u>Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc.</u> and the assignee(s) consents to the accompanying application for reissue.		
Name of assignee/inventor (if not assigned) Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc.		
Signature 	Date 2/22/07	
Typed or printed name and title of person signing for assignee (if assigned) Todd Messa/ Assistant Secretary		

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In re Application of:	Linh A. Dinh, Loc X. Phan, Robert Eury, Irina Pomerantseva and Michael Froix
Application No.:	10/061458
Filed:	February 1, 2002
For:	EXPANDABLE UNIT CELL AND INTRALUMINAL STENT (Reissue of U.S. 6,019,789)
Group Art Unit:	3738

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Docket No.: S63.2L-10389-US01

## ASSIGNEE'S STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP 37 CFR 3.73(B)

Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc., a corporation, is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of a chain of title from the inventors of the patent application identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

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3. From Quanam Medical Corporation to Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc. The document was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 018463, Frame 0392.

The undersigned is empowered to sign this statement of ownership certificate on behalf of the assignee.

Respectfully submitted,  
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REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTOR

Docket Number (Optional)  
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I hereby declare that:

Each inventor's residence, mailing address and citizenship are stated below next to their name.  
I believe the inventors named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number 6,019,789, granted February 1, 2000 and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled Expandable Unit Cell and Intraluminal Stent

the specification of which

☐ is attached hereto.

☒ was filed on February 1, 2002 as reissue application number 10/061,456, and was amended on February 1, 2002, April 22, 2005 and November 21, 2005.

I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

☐ I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b). Attached is form PTO/SB/02B (or equivalent) listing the foreign applications.

I verily believe the original patent to be at least partly inoperative or invalid, for the reasons described below. (Check all boxes that apply.)

☒ by reason of a defective specification.

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☒ by reason of the patentee claiming less than he had the right to claim in the patent.

☐ by reason of other errors.

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The patent specification, for example at column 2, lines 29-32, and claims, for example at column 10, lines 14-18, include at least one error in describing the expansion characteristics of a unit cell, which are correctly illustrated in Figures 3A & 3B. For example, the specification and claim 1 erroneously recite a looped member extremity moving "axially inwardly," which is believed to render the patent at least partially inoperative or invalid.

Broadening claims are directed to stent structure, and do not include functional limitations as recited in the patent claims. The broadening claims cover subject matter not covered by the patent claims. For example, the patent claim 1 recites limitations such as a "looped member having an axial extremity which moves axially inwardly," which are not included in the broadening claims.

All errors which are being corrected in the reissue application up to the time of filing of this declaration arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.

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REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTOR, page 2		Docket Number (Optional) <b>S63.2-10389-US01</b>	
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Full name of sole or first inventor (given name, family name) Linh A. Dinh			
Inventor's signature		Date	
Residence		Citizenship U.S.	
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Full name of second joint inventor (given name, family name) Loc X. Phan			
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Mailing Address 1197 Fargate Circle, San Jose, CA 95131			
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<p>I hereby declare that:          Each inventor's residence, mailing address and citizenship are stated below next to their name.          I believe the inventors named below to be the original and first inventor(s) of the subject matter which is described and claimed in patent number <u>6,019,789</u>, granted <u>February 1, 2000</u> and for which a reissue patent is sought on the invention entitled <u>Expandable Unit Cell and Intraluminal Stent</u>          the specification of which  <input type="checkbox"/> is attached hereto.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> was filed on <u>February 1, 2002</u> as reissue application number <u>10/061,458</u>, and was amended on February 1, 2002, April 22, 2005 and November 21, 2005.</p> <p>I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.          I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b). Attached is form PTO/SB/02B (or equivalent) listing the foreign applications.</p> <p>I verily believe the original patent to be at least partly inoperative or invalid for the reasons described below. (Check all boxes that apply.)</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> by reason of a defective specification.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> by reason of the patentee claiming less than he had the right to claim in the patent.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> by reason of other errors.</p> <p>At least one error upon which reissue is based is described below. If the reissue is a broadening reissue, such must be stated with an explanation as to the nature of the broadening:</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">The patent specification, for example at column 2, lines 29-32, and claims, for example at column 10, lines 14-18, include at least one error in describing the expansion characteristics of a unit cell, which are correctly illustrated in Figures 3A &amp; 3B. For example, the specification and claim 1 erroneously recite a looped member extremity moving "axially inwardly," which is believed to render the patent at least partially inoperative or invalid.</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">Broadening claims are directed to stent structure, and do not include functional limitations as recited in the patent claims. The broadening claims cover subject matter not covered by the patent claims. For example, the patent claim 1 recites limitations such as a "looped member having an axial extremity which moves axially inwardly," which are not included in the broadening claims.</p> <p style="margin-left: 40px;">All errors which are being corrected in the reissue application up to the time of filing of this declaration arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.</p>	

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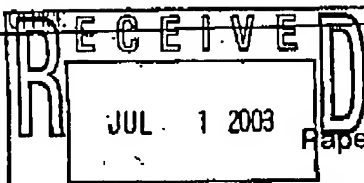
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Application No. 10/061,458  
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Attorney Docket No. S63.2-10389

DECISION REFUSING STATUS  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.47(a)

This is in response to the renewed reissue petition filed June 3, 2003 and supplemented June 19, 2003 under 37 CFR. §1.47(a).

The petition is GRANTED.

Petitioner has shown that non-signing inventor Dinh has refused to join in the filing of the above-identified application after having been presented with the reissue application papers. Specifically, the declaration of facts attest a copy of the reissue application was sent to non-signing inventor Dinh's last known address on three separate occasions. The non-signing inventor's failure to respond to the application sufficiently establishes that he refuses to execute the application papers. As to non-signing inventor Eury, applicant has demonstrated despite diligent efforts to locate inventor Eury, inventor Eury cannot be located.

The above-identified application and papers have been reviewed and found in compliance with 37 CFR 1.47(a). This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(a) status.

As provided in Rule 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the address given in the petition. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

This application is being forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision may be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-0251.

Charlema R. Grant  
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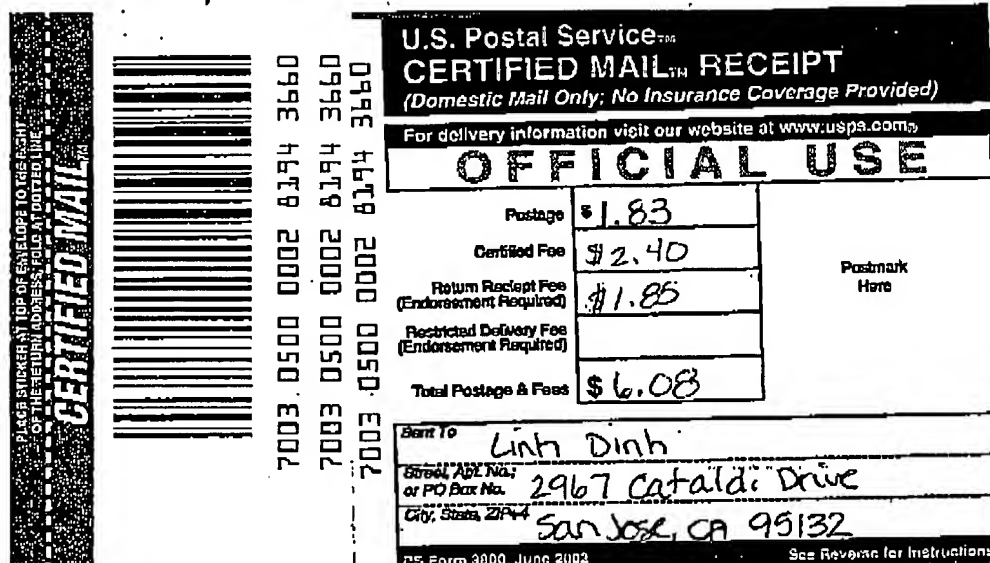
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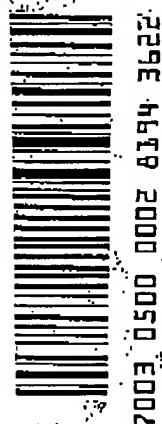
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Linh Anh Dinh  
2967 Cataldi Drive  
San Jose, CA 95132  
SSN: 538-96-3765  
DOB: 6/8/1969

This is the current address for Linh Dinh. My search shows that she is currently receiving credit based mail at the above address. Additionally, she is the owner of the above property and it is homesteaded. I was also able to cross reference the social security number with credit report employment headers and confirm her one time employment for Quanam Medical Corporation. And I was also able to cross reference Linh Dinh with Loc Phan and found that they once lived together.

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With regards to the skip trace involving Loc X. Phan, with the last known address of 1197 Fargate Circle, San Jose, CA, I have found the following information:

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DOB: 3/1/1965

This is the current address for Loc X. Phan. My search shows that he is currently receiving credit based mail. The property is owned by Kathy Pham, who is either a relative or the wife Loc X. Phan. The phone number is listed under the name Loc X. Phan and reverses back to the above address. I was also able to cross reference the social security number with credit report employment headers and confirm his one time employment for Quanam Medical Corporation.

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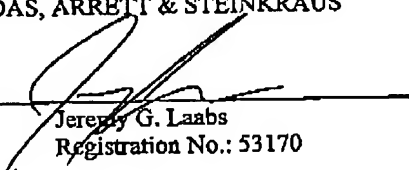
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